

# Crawford County Avalanche

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## Kiwanis Receives Scout Charter

The first charter to be presented to a Grayling organization to conduct the Boy Scout program in Grayling for the past several years was presented to the Grayling Kiwanis Club as part of the Kiwanis program Monday, January 16th. District Scout Executive, Daniel G. Miller made the presentation to Lester K. Powers, president of the local club.

Others who received recognition from Mr. Miller included William Scheer who was named by the club as their institutional representative to the Paul Bunyan Council; Donald Jansen, whom the club named as Troop Committee Chairman; Committee members Charles F. Fick, Harold Haffield Jr., Joseph Stripe, Leo Rochette, and Lester Powers. Mr. Miller and the club recognized the new Scoutmaster of the Troop, Kenneth R. Carlisle, as one of the ablest youth leaders available in the community. Assistant Scoutmasters named at the Kiwanis meeting included Earl G. Whaley, Rev. Robert Haskel, Joseph P. White Jr., Rev. Charles Kobl, and Robert Ruddy.

Mr. Miller, in his remarks to the club, told them how the Boy Scout Program could help the club in their youth program. The aims of Scouting: citizenship training, character building, and developing personal fitness; are very close to the aims of the Kiwanis Club in developing youth. Furthermore, the methods of Scouting, which were also presented to the club, makes achieving the aims possible.

Grayling Boy Scout Troop 77 has been under organization since November and is now meeting. The Troop charter contains the names of 24 boys who are now meeting every Wednesday at the Elementary School gym, under the direction of Mr. Carlisle. A formal troop induction will be conducted by members of the Northland District, Paul Bunyan Council as soon as new scouts have had a chance to pass their Tenderfoot requirements.

## Refugee Dinner Sunday At Michelson Church

The congregation at the Michelson Memorial Methodist Church will take a closer look at the problem of world-wide food shortages on Sunday, January 29th.

Mr. Russ Hartzler, State Director of CROP (Christian Rural Overseas Program) will be at 11 o'clock worship service to tell how Christians of many denominations are working together to meet this human crisis. CROP is the food distribution agency for Church World Service of the National Council of Churches.

A typical Refugee Dinner will be served beginning at 6:00 P.M. to the people of the church and community. This very simple meal will serve to illustrate the work of CROP and will provide you with an opportunity to give a free-will offering in support of CROP. Mrs. T. P. Peterson and Mrs. Stanley Steals are in charge of the meal and Mrs. Tom Robertson and Mrs. Roy Wedge the program of the day. Everyone is invited to the Refugee Dinner, come and bring the entire family. There will be no charge for the meal, but a free-will offering for CROP may be given.

Rev. Charles Kobl



Myron Burrows Photo

**PRIZES FOR THE FAIR** — Pictured above are the four official Miss America trophies. Each is topped by Miss America and the Miss America seal is embossed on the trophy with a place for engraving the winner's name and the date of the local pageant. First prize trophy is to the left front and is 1½ inches tall. To the rear are the second runner-up trophy at 1¾ inches in height and also one for Miss Congeniality that is 1½ inches tall. Also in the background can be seen the photo of Miss Dolly Luft of Miami Shores, Florida formerly of Traverse City, winner of the Miss Michigan Winter Sports 1966 crown. In last year's 41st Grayling Winter Carnival, Also the official crown for this year's Miss Michigan Winter Sports is in the middle of the scene right in front of Miss Luft's photo. All are now on display at Baringer's.

## Understanding "The Miracle Worker"

By Carl Minor

In order to effectively produce "The Miracle Worker", the relationships between characters must be understood by both audience and cast. The actors must know that Kate is Mr. Keller's second wife, and that Helen is the half-sister of her older brother James. This helps us to understand the relationship between Kate and James, and between James and Helen. At first James appears to resent his stepmother. In fact, he refuses to call her 'Mother'. He shows little brotherly love for Helen. He would just as soon have her sent to an institution. Throughout the play Kate tries to befriend James. She especially attempts to improve his relationship with his father, whom James seems to fear. At last James asks Kate to be his friend, and she responds, "I am," indicating that she has been his friend all along.

James's relationship with his father is really a subplot of "The Miracle Worker." The two men are constantly at war with each other. They even spend a great deal of time discussing war. In Act II, the discussion of the Battle of Vicksburg and of General Grant's qualifications as leader of the Union army foreshadow Annie's battle with Captain Keller. The Board had approved a plan to issue certificates of deposit which would draw an interest rate of 5% per annum in addition to the 4% offered now.

The announcement was made at the annual meeting of the Grayling State Bank held last Tuesday, three new members were added to the institution's Board of Directors. The new directors are: A. J. Sorenson and Glenn Sawyer of Grayling and Al Cherven of Roscommon. Bank president John H. Aleff announced that the officers and staff would remain the same.

Mr. Aleff also announced that the Board had approved a plan to issue certificates of deposit which would draw an interest rate of 5% per annum in addition to the 4% offered now.

The announcement was made at the annual dinner given for stockholders and employees and their wives and husbands which this year was held on Tuesday evening of last week at Chief Shoppenagons Motor Hotel.

**What - Where - When**  
Jan. 25: Past Matrons OES meet at Thelma McWilliams' 7:30 p.m.

Jan. 26: Frederic Hobby Club meets at the home of Natalie Weaver at 8:00 p.m.

Jan. 27: Ripples & Waves Square Dance club, Regular dance, 8 p.m., Huntington Lake Public School, Caller Wayne Anderson of Cadillac.

Jan. 28: R.L.D.S. bake sale at Burns Hardware, 10-4.

Jan. 31: W.S.C.S. of Houghton Lake Methodist church "Tasting Party" at the church, 11:30 a.m., Admission 50¢.

Feb. 1: The COOR Intermediate Board of Education will meet in Mio at the Mio AuSable School at 8 p.m. Interested parties are invited to attend.

Feb. 2: F. & A. M. Lodge 355, regular meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Feb. 3 and 4: Spring Hat Sale, Episcopal Church.

Feb. 4: Long form Ritual, VFW Higgins - Houghton Post 4159, Gerrish Higgins High School gym, Roscommon, 8:00 p.m. Public invited.

Feb. 5: Masonic area conference meeting. Lodge opens 1:00 p.m. in GHS auditorium.

Feb. 7: Mt. Hope Lutheran Women's Guild meeting, parish hall, 8 p.m.

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Feb. 14: American Legion Auxiliary business meeting, 8 p.m. Lunch afterwards.

**HOT LUNCH MENU**  
JAN. 30 - FEB. 2

Monday: Goulash, mixed fruit, butterscotch pudding, bread and butter, milk.

Tuesday: Pea soup and crackers, bread and peanut butter, peach delight, milk.

Wednesday: Sloppy Joes, fruit cobber, milk.

Thursday: Fried chicken and mashed potatoes, dressing, cookies bread and butter, milk.

Friday: Institute.

Miss Faye Roberson was home from Alma to spend the weekend

## College Deferment Tests Announced

State Selective Service headquarters announced today that applications for new available at all Michigan local board offices for the Selective Service college qualification tests which have been scheduled for March 11 and 31 and April 8, 1967.

Test scores are used by local boards in determining eligibility of registrants for student deferments. The test may be taken by any registrant who intends to request deferment as a student and who has not previously taken the test. Applications for the test must be postmarked no later than Friday, February 10.

The three hour test administered by Educational Testing Service,

Princeton, New Jersey, is intended to predict a student's ability to do college work. The test will be administered at 15 colleges in Michigan located at Ann Arbor, Berrien Springs, Dearborn, Detroit, East Lansing, Flint, Grand Rapids, Houghton, Kalamazoo, Marquette, Mt. Pleasant, Saginaw, Sault Ste. Marie, Traverse City, and Ypsilanti.

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About 42,000 Michigan students took the draft tests held during 1966. Test results are forwarded direct to the registrant's local board. About 50,000 Michigan registrants are deferred as college students compared with approximately 60,000 a year ago.

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## REPORT OF CONDITION OF

## GRAYLING STATE BANK

212 MICHIGAN AVENUE, GRAYLING, MICHIGAN 49738

at the close of business December 31, 1966

a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

## ASSETS

	Dollars Cts
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	329,785.50
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	501,973.48
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	1,235,997.23
Securities of Federal agencies and corporations not guaranteed by U.S.	None
Other securities (including \$15,900.00 corporate stocks)	15,900.00
Federal funds sold	None
Other loans and discounts	3,725,041.54
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	28,742.15
Real estate owned other than bank premises	500.00
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	656.07
Other assets	5,838,595.97
TOTAL ASSETS	

## LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,756,561.57
Deposits of United States Government	2,616,155.37
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	51,218.86
Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions, central banks and international institutions	632,838.80
Deposits of commercial banks	None
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	None
TOTAL DEPOSITS	5,109,341.76
(a) Total demand deposits	\$2,346,073.04
(b) Total time and savings deposits	\$2,763,268.72
Federal funds purchased	None
Other liabilities for borrowed money	None
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	None
Other liabilities (including \$ None mortgages and other liens on bank premises and other real estate)	120,727.08
TOTAL LIABILITIES	5,230,068.84

## CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

(a) Capital notes and debentures	
(b) Preferred stock—total par value	None
No. shares outstanding	None
(c) Common stock—total par value	240,000.00
No. shares authorized	12,000
No. shares outstanding	12,000
Surplus	290,000.00
Undivided profits	78,527.13
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	None
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	608,527.13
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	5,838,595.97

## MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	
Loans as shown in item 7 of "Assets" are after deduction of valuation reserves of	3,787,727.13
Securities as shown in items 2-5 of "Assets" are after deduction of valuation reserves of	44,361.64
Deposits of the State of Michigan (included in Item 16)	None
	27,554.23

I, John H. Alef, President, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN H. ALEF, President

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

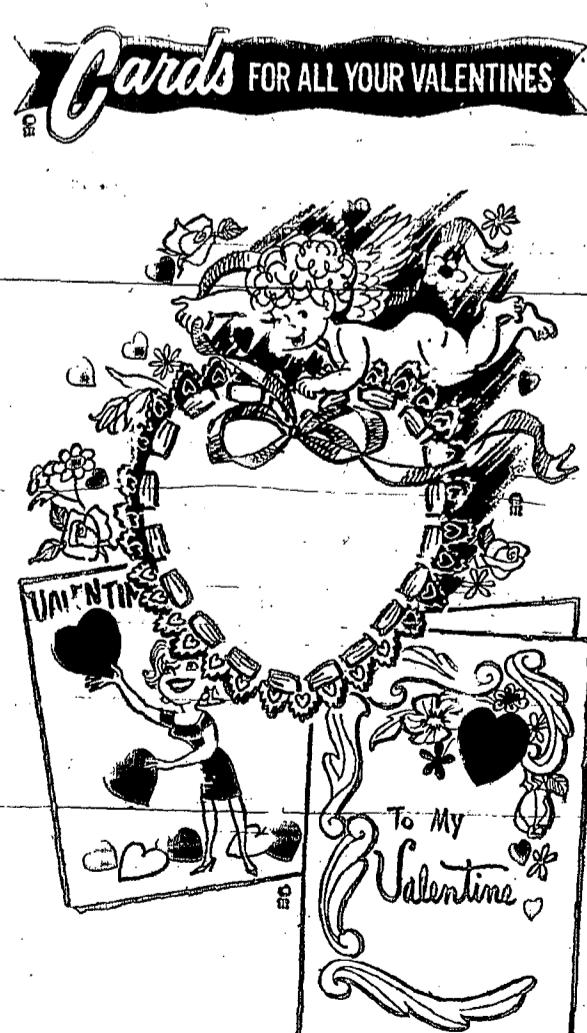
T. P. Peterson  
Emil L. Kraus  
William J. Kraus  
Directors

State of Michigan, County of Crawford ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this Sixth day of January, 1967.

LINDA L. GIBBONS, Notary Public

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## Planners Meet In Roscommon

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tants and panel members representative of the six intermediate school districts of the ten counties.

Dr. G. Robert Koopman, former Deputy State Superintendent (1947-1961) now retired, gave a presentation in the area of Curriculum Consultative Services for teachers and administrators. Dr. Horace G. Hartsell, nationally recognized authority on Instructional Media Concepts, from Michigan State University, presented and discussed with the panel possibilities for instructional materials centers in the ten county region. Dr. Charles Mange, Department Chairman of Special Education, Michigan State University, and Dr. Walter Burnett, Coordinator of Health Facilities and Practices at Michigan State University, discussed and lead the discussion on Psychological and Health Clinic Services. Mr. James Reed, Associate Director, Interlochen Arts Academy, explored with the panel and others in attendance the possibility of exposing more children and adults to the fine arts. Mr. Reed's responsibility is to survey the region with regard to Cultural Development and make recommendations to initiate more exposure to culture in the ten county region.

The thought that prevailed throughout the two day conference was the availability of funds for carefully prepared plans and the emphasis on individual differences. The complacent thought that elementary and secondary school children in sparsely populated areas must be satisfied with less than a complete educational experience when parents and patrons of neighboring schools are willing to cooperate was totally rejected.

The ladies of the Friendly Service Key of the Congregational Church served dinner both Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

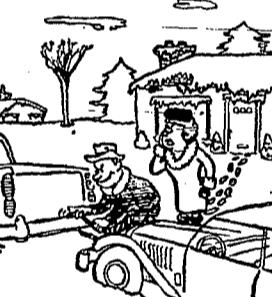
Coffee was served during the meetings by Mrs. Ferd Shirey and Mrs. Fred Miller of the Higgins-Houghton V. F. W. Auxiliary.

## LAKE MARGRETHE WATER LEVEL

(Information furnished by U. S. Geological Survey)

Period of record, Nov. 12, 1942, to date:  
Area of Lake — 1,920 acres at elevation 1135 ft. m.s.l.  
Water level Jan. 12, '67 1134.30 ft.  
Water level Jan. 12, '66 1134.06 ft.  
Maximum level for period of record Sept. 15, '61 — 1135.46 ft.  
Minimum level for period of record Sept. 24-27, '66 — 1133.57 ft.  
Preliminary Figures Subject To Revision

## My Neighbors



"Oh no—not your new Christmas tie!"

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## BITS O' TALK

Capt. David Hanson returned home from Munson Hospital Wednesday of last week after it had been determined there would be no damage to his sight following the accident in which burning material fell into one eye during the fire at the Airport last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Allen Pettingill and seven-week old son Allen of Perry made their first visit to his parents, the Dale Pettingills, since young Allen's arrival December 3rd, spending the weekend here.

After January 25, 1967, my dental office will be located at my residence, 406 Michigan Ave. Dr. J. F. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fisher drove to Lansing Thursday to bring their daughter Jean back with them for a weekend of snow and skiing.

Mr. and Mrs. Fraser Dean took their son Steve to Lake City Saturday to see an eye and ear specialist.

Mrs. Herbert Stephan was hostess to the Bunco Club members Thursday evening. Mrs. Byron Randolph was first, Mrs. Kip Papendick second prize and also the penny prize winner, and Mrs. Helen Harwood, a guest, third prize winner. Mrs. Shirley Arnold will be the next hos-

tes on February 2nd.  
Enjoy "Smorgasbord" at the Penguin Inn every Wednesday evening starting at 6 p.m. \$2.00 per person. All you can eat. On I-75 Business Loop, South in Grayling.

Mrs. Del Wheeler accompanied Clifford Fletcher to Allen Park to spend some time with her daughter Mrs. Steve Gibbs and family. Mrs. Fletcher was up weekend before last to bring a load of furniture to their cottage on Eagle Point.

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Rev. Charles L. Kolb

Divine Worship 11:00 A.M.

Church School 9:45 A.M.

M.Y.F. Sundays 6:00 P.M.

Choir Practice 7:30 P.M.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Grayling, Phone 348-4691

Rev. Fr. William McKnight

Regular Schedule

Sunday Masses at 6:30, 8:30

and 10:30 a.m.

Holy Days — 6:30 and 9:30

a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Week days at 8:30 a.m.

Deer Hunting Season

Sunday Masses, 5:00, 8:30 and

10:30 a.m.

Confessions

Saturday — 4 to 5 p.m. and

7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

First Friday of each month,

evening mass at 5:00 p.m.

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CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Chestnut St. and US-27

Rev. Frank C. Frinkie

Sunday School 10:00 A.M.

Worship Service 11:00 A.M.

Youth Service 6:00 P.M.

Evangelistic Worship 7:30 P.M.

Mid-Week Services

Prayer and Bible Class, Wed-

nesday, 7:30 P.M.

FRIEDERIC CHURCH

Rev. Paul Aumiller, Pastor

Sunday School

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## 'Atlas Shrugged'

According to a news story in The New York Times, civil rights, religious and labor leaders have joined forces to propose a \$185 billion "freedom budget for all Americans". The budget will be requested from the federal government. Its purpose is to provide a guaranteed annual income, increased welfare and social security payments, full employment, a rise in farm income and health, housing and educational opportunities for all persons. The sponsors of the 'freedom budget' explained that this astronomical sum can be raised without higher taxes. They believe it can come from the still uncommitted taxes the federal government will collect, known as a federal surplus income and will wipe out poverty in the next ten years.

There is little doubt that anyone who dares to question the merits of the "freedom budget" will be branded as reactionary and defeatist. Be that as it may, the senders still have the right—and the obligation—to continue to point to the fallacies of an all-out welfare state.

Some years ago, a book entitled "Atlas Shrugged" described in a dramatic manner the disintegration of a society that sought to obtain the ultimate in security by utilizing the accumulated resources and talents of the nation's most productive people in order that each might share according to his needs. In the ensuing decade, it was found that men of ability, the creators, the workers, the producers gradually disappeared from the scene. Society simply became an ignoble, starving mass. admittedly this sounds like a farfetched analysis.

Great Britain has not yet had a "freedom budget", but it has gone much farther along the road to a welfare state than the United States, and in Great Britain the right to strike has been outlawed, wages and prices have been frozen and unemployment is rising. It is logical to suspect that there is some connection between Britain's welfare state and the spreading impoverishment of her people.

## Don't Believe It!

In an age of management specialists, advanced degrees and decision by computer, it is always gratifying to be reminded that a man can still start at the bottom of the ladder and work his way to the top. A top official of one of the largest domestic petroleum firms, who started out pumping gas in a service station, gave some advice to a high school graduating class not long ago: The crowd will tell you that the safest thing to do is to conform, blend yourself into the background. Don't believe it. The rewards go to the imaginative, the creative, the original, the people willing to take the big dare of life.... It's enough, the crowd will say, to keep your nose clean because everything's run by formula or by machine calculation today. Don't believe it. You count as an individual, as a unique person, and even in a corporation as big as the one for which I work, you'll be judged as an individual."



## In Grayling 23 Years Ago

Interesting Items of News Gathered From the Files of the Avalanche of 23 Years Ago

January 27, 1944

Arrangements have been made by the Crawford County Youth Guidance committee with the Parks Division of the Michigan Conservation Department to open the Winter Sports park for use of the people of Grayling and out-of-town visitors. The park will be open weekdays Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 3:30 p.m. until dark, and Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m. until dark. No lights are available and no activities will be allowed after dark except by special arrangement. Skating rink, ski trails and slopes and hills for sleds will be in operation. Mr. Fred Larke, superintendent of the Pines Park will be in charge. Maintenance will be by users of the park. The toboggan slides will not be operated this year.

The Ladies Aid met last Friday evening and elected officers for the coming year: Mrs. Alice Scott, president; Mrs. Clara Floeter, vice president; Mrs. Hazel Stevens, secretary and Mrs. Anna Floeter, treasurer.

Mrs. Etta Nowlin is in Flint visiting relatives this week.

Roy Boger is employed at Olson's Barber Shop part time.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bancroft (Doris Leverton) are the proud parents of a son born January 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Feldham of Saginaw were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Griffith Monday and Tuesday at their AuSable River home.

Eugene Irwin, formerly of Grayling, has been promoted from first lieutenant to captain at Fort Worth Army Air Field, where he is a training commander at Texas' only Liberator B-24 bomber pilot school.

The Misses Mary Jane Joseph and Marion Huntington of Lansing came Friday to visit Mary Jane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joseph and son Bill who is here on a furlough from Camp Butler, Va. Miss Huntington is remaining for the week.

Mrs. Nick Schijotz and Mrs. Holger Hanson were in Gaylord Tuesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chris Frieberg.

Harry Hutchins has resigned his position with the Kerr & Hanson Flooring Co. and has accepted a position in Midland.

Mrs. Emil Kraus and son Lieut. (j. g.) Emil Kraus, were in Detroit the first of the week on business. Lieut. Kraus arrived Wednesday of last week from San Juan, Porto Rico, on a 20-day furlough, to visit his parents. It is 15 months since he left the States. He is looking fine and says he is enjoying Porto Rico very much. He is to return to his post on February 2nd.

Richard Toben from Camp Lakeland, Fla., spent a portion of his furlough as a guest of Miss Jane Milnes at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Milnes.

Mrs. R. O. Filkins and son Skippy of Flint are here for several weeks at the home of K. K. Kitchen. The little boy is under a physician's care here. Mr. Filkins, a brother of Mrs. Kitchen, spent the weekend with his family.

Mrs. Lillian Ryan and Mrs. Albert Knibbs were hostesses to the social evening of the Legion Auxiliary Tuesday at the home of the former. Pinochle was enjoyed with high and low scores being held by Mrs. Albert Knibbs and Mrs. Lillian Ryan. A delicious

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lunch was served later in the evening.

Well, we're enjoying fine weather. One lady tells us that 35 years ago the snow and ice went the same way in January. Guess this may properly be termed a "January thaw".

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Gierke, sides having their son, Corporal Earl Gierke, in the service, at Camp Davis, N.C., have six grandchildren. Of these, four are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gierke. Wilson and Lloyd Jr. are in the Army and at present in Italy. Albert is in the Navy and recently returned from a trip to England. The latest to answer the call to the colors is Charles, who left the fore part of last week for Great Lakes Naval Training Station. Miss Phyllis Rasmussen of Marquette is serving in the WAVES at the Naval Hospital in Bainbridge, Maryland, and another grandson, Robert J. Gierke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gierke of Manistique, is the sixth one. We think this is a record to be proud of for one family.

Another class of qualified radio operators was graduated today by the Communications Department of the Armored School, Ft. Knox, Ky. Among the students was Corporal Donald F. Corwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Corwin of Grayling.

Robert Smock, "Bob" to everyone in Grayling, has joined the U.S. Navy and is stationed at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station. So there are three out of the four sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smock now in the service.

The other two are Pvt. Donald E. of Camp Blanding, Fla., and Cpt. Howard, stationed in San Diego, Calif., both in the Army.

Mrs. H. F. Peterson spent the weekend in Highland Park with Mr. Peterson. She had gone to Detroit to meet her niece and nephew, Roseann and Tommy Kearney of Cleveland, Ohio, who have come to Grayling to make their home with her. Miss Roseann is 14 years old and in high school, while Tommy who is 8 will be in the grades. They are children of a sister of Mrs. Peterson, who passed away three years ago.

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46 YEARS AGO

January 27, 1921

Grayling Lodge No. 356 F. and A. M. was literally invaded and taken over by a number of railroad men, mostly executive officials who responded to an invitation to come here and help initiate a number of candidates into the third degree. George Olson invited them to a special matinee. Efner Matson, master of the Grayling lodge, cordially greeted the guests. A. J. Giaguer of Detroit presided during the conferring of the degree. The candidates were Clifford Chappel, H. Clay Hodgson, Otto Felling and Peter D. Borchers.

James Oliver Curwood of Owosso, Mich., author, recently purchased 40 acres on the AuSable and will build a cabin midway between Roscommon and Grayling.

Minnie Daugherty was absent from the Grayling Mercantile store Monday on account of illness. Mrs. Victor Salling was hostess at a beautifully arranged 500 and sewing party Wednesday afternoon. There were 40 ladies present. Mrs. Robert Gillett and Mrs. Nickolin Schijotz held the high score for 500.

Mrs. Daniel Hoesli and daughter Virginia are visiting at the home of Mrs. Hoesli's sister, Mrs. John McClellan in Bay City.

James Reynolds left Tuesday for Richmond, Va., having accepted a position in that city operating a saw mill. Mr. Reynolds is a millwright and has been employed at the local mills.

Annual K. of P. ball next Wednesday, February 2, at the school gymnasium.

## Two Grayling Soldiers Finish Advanced Training

FT. POLK, La. (APWNC) — Two soldiers from Grayling, Privates Curtis J. Feldhauser and Eugene R. Lobsinger, completed nine weeks of advanced infantry training Jan. 14 at Ft. Polk, La. Their last week of training was spent in guerrilla warfare.

During their guerrilla training, they lived under simulated Vietnam conditions for five days, fighting off night attacks and conducting raids on "enemy" villages. They were taught methods of removing booby traps, setting ambushes and avoiding enemy ambushes.

Other specialized training included small unit tactics, map reading, land mine warfare, communications, and firing the M-14 rifle, M-60 machinegun and 3.5-inch rocket launcher.

## Our Weather

(Courtesy of Billy Kinkert)

	H	L	Rain	Snow	On Gd.
Jan.	10	27	.22	.06	2"
	11	25	18	.02	1"
	12	35	21	.05	1"
	13	43	26	tr	tr
	14	42	19	.12	3"
	15	30	13	.04	1.5"
	16	19	10	.10	3"

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Lobinger, 19, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene M. Lobinger, Route

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## Maple Forest

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By Bosio Feltzhauser

and Mrs. Arthur Howes

dinner with his daughter, Opal Hamblin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith spent the weekend in Clarkston with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lamm. On Sunday they attended the baptism of Janet Sarah, daughter of Sally Jo and Tom Lamm, at the Clarkston Methodist Church.

Mrs. Harold Babbitt came home from Mercy Hospital in Grayling on Sunday. She is feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson spent Sunday in Flint visiting Mr. and Mrs. Duane Thompson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Petrie and family of East Jordan spent Sunday with her mother Mrs. Pearl Babbitt.

Sunday dinner guests at the Stanley Hummel's were Mr. and Mrs. Ed James of Kalkaska, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Anius, Mrs. Ethel Ferguson, Lida Vance and Louise Klink of Grayling.

Our sincere sympathy goes to Mrs. Frank Woods of Lovells whose husband passed away at Mercy Hospital in Grayling on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Papenfus and Ruth spent the weekend in Wayland guests of their daughter Mr. and Mrs. James Post and family.

Misses Kathy and Helen Papenfus are staying in Gaylord and working at the Gaylord Savings Bank.

Bud Hamblin and Dick Meyers drove to Detroit to attend the show of Custom-Made Cars at Cobe Hall.

Bruce Babbitt and children Debbie and Brian went to Ferndale for the weekend to visit Mr. and Mrs. Loren Wilgen who have Bruce's other two children, Laurie and Merritt. A nice time was had by all and some most appreciated gifts were presented to Mrs. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Helsel were Saturday night supper guests of the Alvin Browns.

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## BITS O' TALK

Thursday night Lawrence Sullivan of Oscowee called at the Elwood Giffin home to visit his mother. He stayed until Sunday, at which time his sons Larry and Mike of Oscowee visited their grandmother and returned home with their father.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Kangas and daughter Becky attended the wedding of Miss Irene Pyromena to Dr. Vance Sanger December 30th. The event took place at the Lewiston Congregational church. The new bride is a cousin of Don's.

The Jim Hunts of Detroit spent the weekend at their place here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morey of Vanderbilt were Saturday evening guests of Dora and Bessie Feldhauser.

Joe Moyer has received a 50-year pin and certificate from the Fulton Lodge 248 F. & A. M. Grand Lodge of Delta, Ohio.

### Beaver Creek Breezes

By Margaret Griffith

Congratulations to Mary Denno and Bruce Dean who were married Friday evening, January 20th.

Monday morning everyone was suddenly awakened by a fire that broke out in the chimney at the Bruce Deans'. The fire was quickly brought under control with no one hurt and no damage.

Mrs. Margaret Griffith and Mrs. Bonnie Helsel were hostesses at a baby shower on Monday, Jan. 23, for Helen Brown. 19 ladies were present from Gaylord, Grayling, Roscommon, Houghton Lake and Merritt. A nice time was had by all and some most appreciated gifts were presented to Mrs. Brown.

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### Frederic News

By Mrs. Abbie Madill

The Frederic Women's Club met at the home of Letha Leng Jan. 19. Plans were made for a bake sale to be held in March. The next meeting will be Feb. 16 at the home of Bea Tobin. Each member is asked to bring an article for a Chinese Auction.

Rick Armstrong and Johnny Merets were injured in an automobile accident last Wed. 18th at St. Helens. The car in which they were riding was completely demolished when hit by a truck. Both boys were admitted to Tofree Hospital, West Branch. Johnny was treated and released and Rick was kept there until Saturday when he was transferred to Otsego Memorial Hospital at Gaylord. He suffered a concussion and his condition is about the same.

Molly Olson is back at her position at the Post Office.

Jim Madill left Friday by plane for Los Angeles where he will attend a gift show for a week at the Ambassador Hotel. Lydia Horton is a patient at Mercy Hospital in Grayling.

Bill Davis came home last week from the Veterans Hospital in Saginaw.

Two of the Maurice Alma Jr.'s children are convalescing from Tonslectomies done last week.

Mrs. Carrie Larson of Plymouth, returned home Sunday, after visiting her brothers Bill and Act Leng and her sister Mabel Lewis who is a patient at Mercy Hospital in Grayling.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Feltz (Judy Johnson) at the Kalkaska Health Center Sunday, January 22, 1967 at 9 p.m. He weighed 7 lbs. 9 oz. His name is Timothy Robert.

Burrell Vollmer was home from the Veterans Hospital for the week end but had to return Monday for more tests. Mrs. Vollmer's mother Mrs. Giles of Lansing is here caring for the children.

### HOBBY CLUB NEWS

The Hobby Club met on Jan. 12th at the home of Barbara Hinkle with 11 ladies present. The next meeting will be this Thursday, Jan. 26, at the home of Natalie Weaver at 8:00 p.m.

### SPARTAN CLUB NEWS

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### CHURCH NEWS

The First United Methodist Church met on Jan. 12th at the home of Barbara Hinkle with 11 ladies present. The next meeting will be this Thursday, Jan. 26, at the home of Natalie Weaver at 8:00 p.m.

### PEACE CORPS NEWS

The Peace Corps met on Jan. 12th at the home of Barbara Hinkle with 11 ladies present. The next meeting will be this Thursday, Jan. 26, at the home of Natalie Weaver at 8:00 p.m.

### WOMEN'S CLUB NEWS

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### WELFARE NEWS

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### WEDDING NEWS

The Wedding Club met on Jan. 12th at the home of Barbara Hinkle with 11 ladies present. The next meeting will be this Thursday, Jan. 26, at the home of Natalie Weaver at 8:00 p.m.

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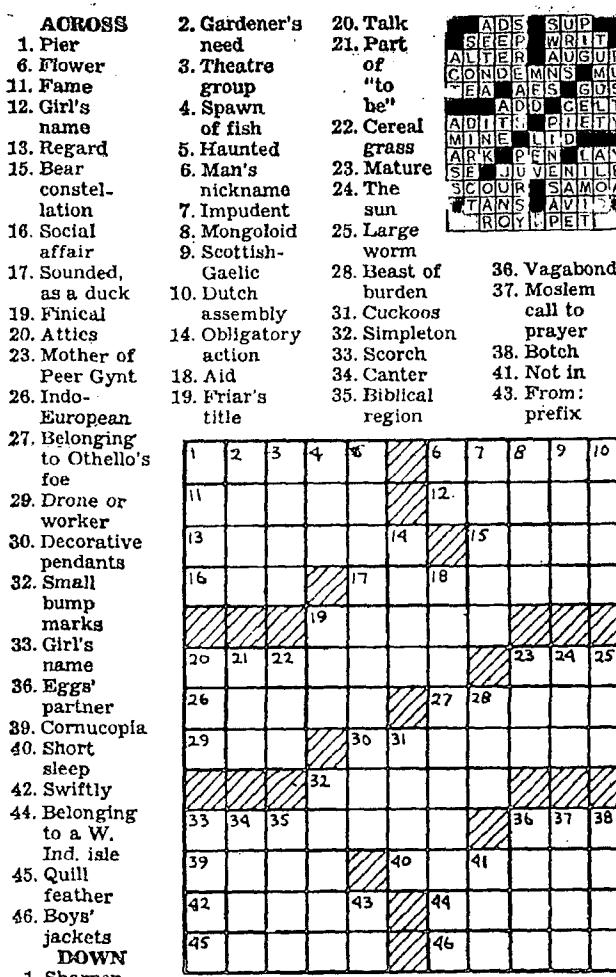
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The Probate Court for the  
County of Crawford.

Estate of Ella May Gierke, Deceased.

It is Ordered that on Friday, March 3, 1967, at 2:00 p. m., in the Probate Courtroom, Grayling, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Carlton L. Thompson, or 808 N. Jefferson Street, Bay City, Michigan. And that a hearing be held on the petition of Carlton L. Thompson, for probate of a purported will, for granting of administration to the executor named, or some other suitable person, and for a determination of heirs.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: January 13, 1967.  
Emil L. Kraus  
Judge of Probate

Carlton L. Thompson  
Attorney for Said Estate

808 N. Jefferson

Bay City, Michigan. 19-26-2

**LEGAL NOTICES**

To the Owner or Owners of any and all interests in or Lien upon the Lands herein described:

**TAKE NOTICE:** that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof, at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with fifty per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, which fee shall be the same as provided by law for service of subpoenas or for orders of publication or the cost of such service by registered mail, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges: Provided, That with respect to purchasers at the tax sale held in the years 1938, 1939 and 1940 the sum stated in such notice as a condition of reconveyance shall only be all sums paid as a condition of the tax title purchase, together with ten per centum additional thereto. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

**DESCRIPTION OF LAND**

State of Michigan, County of Crawford. Commencing 575 feet East and 36 feet North of Southwest corner of Government Lot 2, thence North 167 feet, east 125 feet, South 167 feet, thence West 125 feet to place of beginning, Section 8, Town 26 North, Range 4 West, Grayling Township. Amount paid \$11.44 Tax year 1960.

Amount necessary to redeem \$218 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

Arthur G. Clough,

Lillian A. Clough

Place of Business:

500 McClellan

Grayling, Michigan

To George E. Good, 1812 South State Street, Springfield, Illinois, last grantee in the regular chain of title of such lands, or of any interest therein, as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds or said County, at the date of delivery of this notice to the Sheriff for service. 12-19-26-2

**Notice of Mortgage Sale**

DEFAULT, having been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by CLARENCE R. HOLCOMB and MARCELLA L. HOLCOMB, his wife, to HOMESTEAD CORPORATION, a Michigan Corporation, dated December 8, 1965, and recorded January 8, 1966 in Liber 83, on page 381, Crawford County Register of Deeds office, which mortgage was assigned to HOME STEAD ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION, a Michigan Corporation on June 30, 1966, by assignment recorded September 2, 1966, in Liber 86, page 262, Crawford County Register of Deeds office, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due on the date hereof for principal and interest, the sum of ten thousand five hundred twelve and 06/100 dollars (\$10,512.06); therefore:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on February 14, 1967, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, Eastern Standard Time, at the South Front Door to the Crawford County Courthouse, Grayling, Michigan, there will be offered for sale at public venue for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due on said mortgage, together with costs of sale, the premises in said mortgage described as follows:

Lot 18, Grayling Manor Subdivision a portion of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 31, Town 27 North, Range 3 West, Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan. According to the recorded plat thereof as recorded in Liber 2, page 10, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period in connection with this foreclosure will be six (6) months from the time of Sheriff's sale as the mortgaged property is residential property not exceeding four (4) units and is not more than three (3) acres in size, and the amount due is more than 66-2/3% of the original indebtedness secured by the mortgage executed after January 1, 1966.

Dated this 17th day of November, 1966.

HOMESTEAD ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION

Assignee of Mortgagor ROY G. LORD

Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagor

Business Address:

Rural Route No. 2,

Crawford County Avalanche

Thursday, January 26, 1967

## Chamber of Commerce Minutes

Regular meeting, Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce, Penquin Inn, Jan. 12, 1967.

Members present: Gerry Burns, Billie Forbes, Bill Kraus, John Latuszek, Ed Rutkowski and Don Welser.

Members absent: Ray Elsey, Barbara Fowler and Sandy Thompson.

Also present: Earl Wood, representing the American Legion Club.

Marilyn Longworth, Chairman of the Miss Michigan Winter Sports Pageant, Earl "Chum" Longworth, Chamber Manager.

The meeting was called to order at 12:30 p. m. by President Kraus.

The first order of business was a report by Treasurer Forbes. Motion by Ed Rutkowski, seconded by John Latuszek, that this Treasurer's report be accepted. All Ayes.

A list of bills was then presented to the board for their approval by Treasurer Forbes. A motion was made by John Latuszek, that this Treasurer's report be accepted. All Ayes.

Mail:

An invitation from the Roscommon Chamber of Commerce to attend their annual dinner meeting on January 23 was read by Marilyn Longworth.

A letter from the Michigan Skin Diving Council offering to come to Grayling again this spring and clean the AuSable River of litter was presented to the Board. The Board feels that this is a very worthwhile project and receives much publicity. Manager Longworth was instructed to invite the group to return.

Mr. Longworth told the Board of the communication from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints ladies telling of their enthusiasm over last fall's "Carnival of Color," and that they are making this their big project for 1967.

Manager Longworth read a letter from the Michigan State Auditor General concerning the proposed new state constitution.

Mr. Longworth also read an invitation from the National Trout Festival to send a queen to their contest. The Board recommended that either Miss Grayling or her first runner up be entered in this contest.

Mr. Earl Wood, representing the American Legion Club, spoke to the Board with regard to a combined Christmas promotion for next year. His suggestions were well received, and it was agreed that Mr. Wood would be invited to attend another Board meeting next fall.

Mr. Longworth told the Board of the meeting held last Monday where Dr. Pierce talked before the City Council, and it was very evident from the interest given by the Council that steps may be initiated by the City of Grayling to give leadership and impetus to effluent reforms on the river.

Mr. Longworth informed the Board of Radio Station WHGR's offer of a free fifteen minute public service program which can be taped or live. The Board was very enthusiastic over this promotion, and the 12:45 p. m. Saturday date was selected.

It was decided to hold a special meeting with regards to the Chamber by-laws and membership on Monday evening, January 16, at the Chamber office.

Motion was made by Gerry Burns seconded by John Latuszek, that this meeting be adjourned at 2:10 p. m. Next meeting to be held 26 January 1967.

Marge Roper, Sec'y.

## Road Commissioners Minutes

January 6, 1967

A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Commissioners held in their office in Grayling. Meeting called to order by Chairman Mead. Members present, Commissioners Howard H. Mead, Harold T. Johnson and R. E. "Bob" Shook and Supt. Norman H. Feldhauser. Absent, none.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read. A motion was made by Comm. Johnson supported by Comm. Shook that the minutes be approved as read. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Voucher No. 1 covering Payroll No. 1 and Vouchers No. 2 to 24 covering materials presented to the Board for approval. A motion was made by Comm. Shook, supported by Comm. Johnson, that Vouchers No. 1 to 24 be approved and warrants ordered drawn in their respective amounts. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Payroll No. 1 ..... 12,809.85

Amsterdam Printing & Litho ..... 9.00

Auto. Parts & Supply ..... 549.70

Black & White Grocery ..... 244.88

Fuelgas Company, Inc. ..... 3.50

Jansen Plumbing Service ..... 176.39

Jack Millikan ..... 99.00

State of Mich. Dept of ..... 5.00

Revenue ..... 55.39

Scheer Motors, Inc. ..... 5.22

Scientific Brake & Equip. Co. ..... 59.38

Union Office Supply Co. ..... 15.51

Crawford Co. Avalanche ..... 66.00

Harold Alexander, Inc. ..... 256.35

Burns Hardware & Furn. ..... 9.95

Don Ernst ..... 10,400.00

Grayling Insurance Agcy. ..... 7,449.49

Jennison Hardware Co. ..... 44.46

Miller Hardware ..... 7.76

Northern Auto Parts Co. ..... 65.77

Post Oil Company ..... 69.30

Short Freight Lines ..... 4.93

Turts Dist. Co., Int. ..... 92.98

Union Office Supply Co. ..... 15.51

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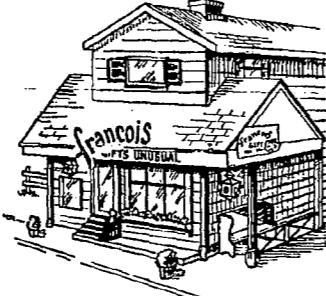
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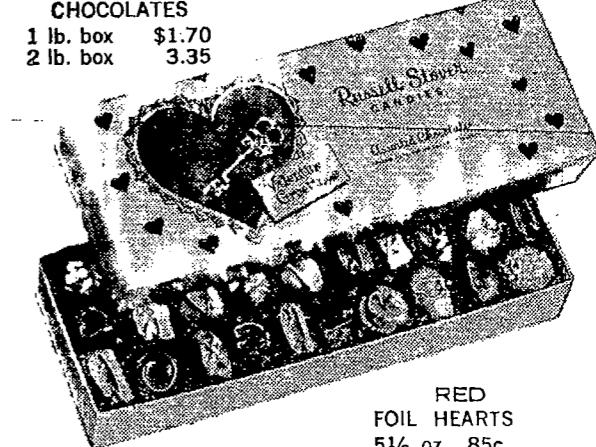


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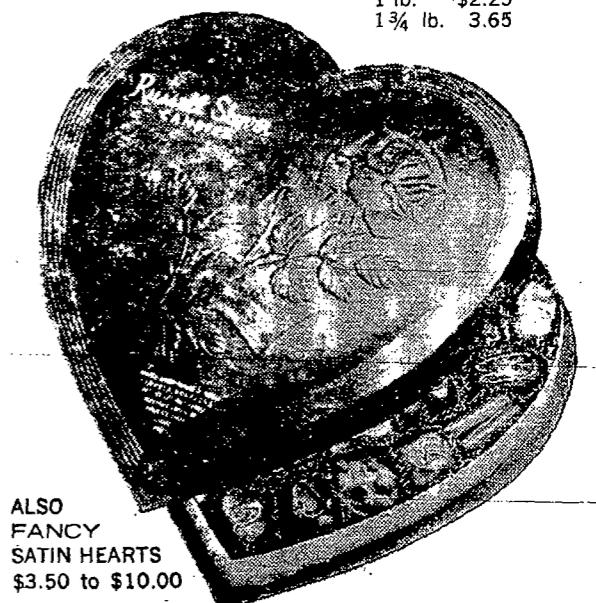
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**BITS O' TALK**

Friday, the 13th wasn't an unlucky day for Stan Madsen. While fishing at School Section Lake he speared a pike which measured 37 inches long and weighed 15 pounds, 4 ounces. Mrs. Madsen said it was darned good eating too.

The kids had a vacation on Tuesday of last week. There was no school because of the snow fall and winds which caused drifting.

A note from Mrs. E. J. Olson (Laura) from Ft. Lauderdale informs us she enjoyed dinner with Chuck and Winnie Piper last week and had been golfing with Mrs. Barney Dopp.

After January 25, 1967, my dental office will be located at my residence, 406 Michigan Ave. Dr. J. F. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cogan returned the 14th after spending a month in Atlanta, Georgia visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Toms and children. Their son Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cogan and children of Bay City were there to greet them when they returned and to spend the weekend. He has been promoted to editorial writer for the Bay City Times.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Drake had as a guest last week Charles Hutchins of Flint, who came up for some ice fishing and visited them Monday through Wednesday. Mr. Drake's brother-in-law Walter Duke and family of Ann Arbor were their guests weekend before last, Friday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fraser Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Duley and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Trudeau celebrated Mrs. Trudeau's birthday anniversary Friday evening at Schlang's Restaurant, Chimney Corners and Boyne Mountain.

A school of instruction for bus drivers, the last in a series of three was held at Grayling High School Wednesday evening, the 25th at 7:00 p.m.

For a quick but enjoyable luncheon, try the Penguin Inn's Buffet Luncheon from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. \$1.35 per person. On L-75 Business Loop, South in Grayling.

The afternoon will be devoted more to local planning. "The Citizen's Role in Planning Programs" will be discussed by John F. West, Supervisor of Clayton township, Genesee County.

Clarence A. Engberg, State Soil Scientist, U. S. Soil Conservation Service will tell about the importance of Soil Surveys in Land-use Planning.

Robert B. Hotaling, associate professor of Urban Planning will discuss "Planning for Zoning".

Clan Crawford, attorney, Ann Arbor will wrap up the days program by speaking about "Public Regulation of Private Land Use".

Farmer's week programs are available from the Cooperative Extension Service office in the Roscommon County Building and the Crawford County Courthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Longworth were judges in the Miss Sheridan Valley winter queen contest held at Lewiston Saturday.

Weekend guests of the Don Ferguson's were his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ferguson of Harrison, and Mrs. Ferguson's brother Michael Knight of Plymouth. The latter was here to visit Mrs. Knight who is staying at the Ferguson home for few weeks pending a new arrival, and to see his mother, Mrs. Walter Knight, of Harrison who was taken to Mercy Hospital Thursday with pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ferguson of Harrison spent weekend before last visiting their son and family here.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I wish to thank the Doctors, nurses and entire staff of Mercy Hospital for good care received while a patient there. Also relatives and friends for flowers, gifts, cards and visits. They were all very much appreciated.

Mrs. F. D. Barber

**CARD OF THANKS**

I wish to thank Dr. Blaha, the entire Mercy Hospital staff and friends and relatives for their visits, cards and gifts while I was a patient at the hospital.

Mrs. Erma Burch

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Crawford County Avalanche

Thursday, January 26, 1967

4-H News

R. L. D. S. Activities

January 21st, there was a district ZIONERS Youth Rally held at Bear Grayling Youth Hostel & Ski Party at Mountain. Zioners from ten different Branches took part about fifty in number enjoying a fine day at the park.

## BITS O' TALK

Miss Janet Rowland was home from Butterworth Hospital School of Nursing, Grand Rapids, over the weekend visiting her parents the Harvey Rowlands.

Patsy McEvers and friend Doug Fremow of Ferris State College, Big Rapids, visited her parents, the Harry McEveres over the weekend. Mike McEveres who is attending the Ford Forestry School at L'Anse was also home for the weekend.

Northend Sunoco will give away free, one portable TV. Stop for your free tickets starting Feb. 1st.

Steve Dawson was home from Ferris State College over the weekend and visited his parents, the DeVere Dawsons. They drove him back on Sunday.

Peggy Mengen of Holland stayed overnight with her sister and family, the Ed Holcombs in Manistee, then came home Saturday to visit her mother, Mrs. Glen Fenton, for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigurd Johnson of Saginaw visited his mother, Mrs. Agot Johnson, over the past weekend.

Scott Richard is the 6 lb. 8 oz.

son born January 19 to Mr. and

Mrs. Richard Trudeau of Lansing,

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Trudeau of Lake.

Margrette are his very pleased grandparents. They visited their new grandson and his parents over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jansen left

Wednesday for Detroit to attend

the Master Plumbers' Association

convention at the Statler Hotel in

Detroit through Sunday. Don is a

delegate from the North Central

Association, and Mrs. Jansen the

secretary-treasurer of the North

Central Association Auxiliary. Her

parents, the William Horns of Saginaw, are staying with the Jansen

children while they are away.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gezequel

were in Detroit last weekend for

his regular check-up at Ford Hos-

pital. Mr. and Mrs. James Schmidt

of West Branch had an appointment

at the same time at Children's Hos-

pital for their son Matt. They all

met later at Comerco Methodist

parsonage for a fine reunion with

the Rev. John and Mary Smith

and family. Both couples stayed

for supper and the night. The

Schmidts left Saturday morning for

their home, and the Gezequels spent

Saturday night in Bay City with

her sister, Mrs. Verna Meir. All

the Smiths are fine. They send best

wishes to everyone in Grayling.

Northend Sunoco will give away

free, one portable TV. Stop for

your free tickets starting Feb. 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mangsen

returned to their home here last

week after having spent a month

away, first at Cheyenne, Wyoming

to enjoy the holidays with their

sons Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Green

and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Green and

families, then visiting friends in

Detroit. Prior to said hearing.

Roy Lovely and daughter Paula

and their last load of furniture left

Sunday for Oxford, where the family

is moving to make their home.

Mrs. Lovely joined them on Monday.

She had spent last week there

looking for a place to stay and vis-

iting her son Roy Jr. and family at

Milford while away. Steve and

Helen Olson were kind enough to

stay and take care of Paula here

during her absence.

Are there different kinds of truth

for persons who happen not to like

certain facts? Does God change be-

cause some persons prefer him to

be different? Can a church that

teaches only a part of the gospel of

Christ be true? If you are interested

in the tracts; Checking The

Church of Your Choice or The

Church of Jesus Christ, How Shall

I Know It? Write Avalanche, Box F,

they will be sent to you with no ob-

ligation. Worship in the church of

your choice this Sunday. Regards,

Members of the Reorganized

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter

Day Saints. Adv.

On January 16 the Knittin' Kittens have started a new project.

It's ski boots. Several girls are

almost done with their ski boots.

Everybody was present. Wendy

Weiss brought cookies and Mrs.

Burns made hot cocoa.

Your news reporter, April Patchak

## LEGAL NOTICES

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

#### The Probate Court for the

#### County of Crawford.

Estate of Ella May Gierke, De-

ceased.

It is Ordered that on Friday,

March 31, 1967, at 2:00 p. m., in the

Probate Courtroom, Grayling,

Michigan, a hearing be held at

which all creditors of said deceased

are required to prove their claims.

Creditors must file sworn claims

with the court and serve a copy on

Carlton L. Thompson, 808 N. Jefferson Street, Bay City, Michigan.

And that a hearing be held on the

petition of Carlton L. Thompson,

Administrator of Estate of Ella

May Gierke, Deceased.

Publication and service shall be

made as provided by Statute and

Court Rule.

Dated: January 13, 1967.

EMIL L. KRAUS  
Judge of Probate

Carlton L. Thompson  
Attorney for Said Estate  
808 N. Jefferson  
Bay City, Michigan. 26-2-9

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Probate Court for the

County of Crawford.

Estate of Robert Wayne Feldbau-

ser, deceased.

It is Ordered that on Friday,

March 3rd, 1967, at 1:30 P. M. in

the Probate Courtroom, Grayling,

Michigan, a hearing be held at

which all creditors of said deceased

are required to prove their claims.

Creditors must file sworn claims

with the court and serve a copy on

Kenneth E. Ralph, Administrator

of Courthouse, Standish, Michigan,

Deceased.

Publication and service shall be

made as provided by Statute and

Court Rule.

Dated: January 23, 1967.